

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	)	
	)	<b>Group Art Unit:</b> 3739
<b>Huy D. Phan</b>	)	
	)	<b>Confirmation No.:</b> 7042
<b>Serial No.:</b> 10/660,822	)	
	)	<b>Examiner:</b> Gibson, Roy Dean
<b>Filed:</b> September 12, 2003	)	
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<b>For:</b> <b>VACUUM-BASED CATHETER</b>	)	
<b>STABILIZER</b>	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response (12 pages) in reply to the Office Action, mailed December 27, 2005, for the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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